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**Comment Of The Day**

**Growing up the right way**

SOME kind of plan will have to be devised this year for the future of Hongkong industry. That much, at least, can be deduced from the recent budget speech by Mr Arthur Clarke, the Financial Secretary. Most hope that this can be accomplished without resorting to a stern list of "Thou shalt nots". Mr Clarke spoke of the possibility of having to "guide, direct, regulate and control the economy". But far from encouraging industry to expand in the desired direction, rigid controls may completely hamstring and upset the spontaneous development which has taken place during the last 10 years and which has given the Colony the virile and successful industry it has today.

In a comment on this subject after Mr Clarke's budget speech the China Mail expressed the hope that any regulation that was necessary might be undertaken by the banks. By granting loans selectively to new industries the Colony could be assured of redressing the present heavy lopsidedness. But this alone will not be sufficient. Hongkong has no government-controlled central bank and it is doubtful whether the smaller yet fiercely competitive Chinese banks would fully comply with a Government directive.

**AN** Industrial Bank or Development Corporation might have been more successful but it seems that neither Government nor local bankers are particularly interested in the idea. What else can be done without resorting to controls and regulations?

The China Mail urged last year that industrial commissioners should be appointed to visit the leading capitals of the West in the hope of persuading manufacturers to establish branch factories or assembly points in Hongkong. It would be the commissioners' task to "sell Hongkong."

Coupled with it, a plan should be devised to offer free or very cheap factory sites and tax "holidays" to the right industries. The Federation of Industries and Government should decide on the categories of manufacture needed and direct the commissioners to make offers to firms only within this range.

**B**UT it is to be hoped that other sections of industry will in the meantime be allowed to continue to develop unhindered because there are signs that diversification is achieving results. Mr Michael Turner mentioned at the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank annual meeting the plastics industry and ship-breaking. It may not be taking place as quickly as we want it to, but what has occurred is a promising sign.

Government's chief concern about unbridled development is possibly that severe restrictions affecting the textile industry imposed by one country could have a serious effect on employment. This is a very real danger and perhaps its willingness to agree to voluntary restrictions on garment exports to America at the end of last year was dictated by this consideration. However this free enterprise Colony will hope that personnel and encouragement, rather than regulation and control, are the means by which Hongkong's industrial future can be assured.

**Mail reporter tracks down Tibetan treasures**

A China Mail reporter yesterday found eight curio shops which had sold Tibetan ornaments, paintings and other treasures last year.

A report from London yesterday said that treasures which the Dalai Lama had brought out from Lhasa to India last year during his flight from the Chinese had been sold in Hongkong.

The report said these included gold and silver ornaments and paintings.

China Mail reporter, David Lan, yesterday traced eight shops which had sold ornaments and paintings like this.

These included "dozens" of gilded Buddhas ranging from six inches to two feet, coloured Tibetan paintings on

cloth, seven to eight feet long with Buddha figures, 18-inch head-dresses for women and bracelets of coloured coral.

Also on sale then were six-foot-long yak skin belts studded with silver ornaments, silver holsters for holding chopsticks and knives, leather flint pouches with broad steel rims, bowls of root wood, and hammered silver necklaces and ornaments with Buddha emblems. Semi-precious stones, turquoise, lapis lazuli and other precious articles all from Tibet were also sold.

The sales were made in mid-July last year.

The value of the treasure, scattered in curio shops on both sides of the harbour, could not be estimated.

The six-foot yak skin belts sold at \$12,000 a piece and Buddha statues, from \$120 to \$12,000 each.

Stones and other precious articles were taken off belts and bracelets for separate sales.

Mrs Charlotte Horstmann whose shop sold some of the articles last year told the China Mail yesterday: "We had just a few items. And some Frenchmen bought them."

She regretted that that was the first and the last shipment "we have ever got."

One well-known curio shop on Hankow Road was said to have had one room on the upper floor filled with Tibetan treasures and they were all sold out.

Another curio shopkeeper told the China Mail that there was a trial shipment last year from China but as people regarded the jewellery and ornaments as "loot," there were no further exports from China.

**GAITSKELL FACES CRISIS**

**Richard Crossman resigns**

London, Mar. 15.

The Labour Party was today faced with a new crisis following the announcement that Mr Richard Crossman, Labour spokesman and member of the "shadow cabinet", had resigned.

The announcement was made by Labour Party headquarters last night.

Mr Crossman's resignation came after Mr Hugh Gaitskell had requested him to withdraw his opposition to the British H-bomb.

Mr Crossman will continue, however, as a member of the Labour Party Executive Committee.

**Abstained**

The main Labour spokesman on pensions and national insurance, Mr Crossman was one of 43 Labour MPs who abstained from voting for the official opposition amendment opposing Government defence policy.

In a speech during the debate he criticised Labour policy for supporting Britain's possession of nuclear weapons.

He said that while recognising the need for a Western deterrent, "partly nuclear, partly conventional" he had "grave doubts" about British nuclear strategy and the role of an independent British deterrent.

He claimed that by substituting nuclear weapons for conventional forces Britain was "far weaker today than when we started on this defence policy four years ago."

Mr Crossman was one of two members of Labour's National Executive Committee who abstained during the debate. The other was backbencher Mr Tom Driberg.

**A challenge**

Coming some 48 hours before an important meeting of the Labour executive committee, Mr Crossman's resignation may be taken as a challenge to the party leader, Mr Gaitskell.

Political circles consider that Mr Crossman's resignation will do little to strengthen the Labour Party leader's position while at the same time he will be losing the services of a shrewd parliamentarian much feared by the Macmillan cabinet.

This incident, following as it does similar ones, is causing many Labour members to question the way in which the present Labour chief is conducting the opposition's affairs.

—Reuters and AFP.



RICHARD CROSSMAN

**Churchill on cruise**



Sir Winston and Lady Churchill left London Airport for an Atlantic cruise aboard millionaire ship owner Aristotle Onassis's yacht Christina. Churchill was due to board the yacht at Gibraltar but because of bad weather the plane was diverted to Madrid. Conditions were bad there too, so it went on to Tangier. Mr Onassis sailed for Tangier to pick up the Churchills. The above picture shows Sir Winston at London Airport.—Express photo.

**COOLER AND MORE RAIN**

Cooler and rainy conditions will continue for the next few days, a Royal Observatory spokesman said today.

He added that Hongkong was still in the cold front which swept down from Siberia over the weekend.

Lowest reading was recorded at about 8 a.m. when the mercury dropped to 63 degrees.

Cool north easterly winds will continue during the day.

**INCENTIVE PLAN FOR MALTA**

London, Mar. 14.

The Colonial Secretary, Mr Iain Macleod, today launched an incentive plan designed to attract industry to Malta.

The scheme will exempt new industrial ventures from income tax for up to 10 years and offers loans and grants of up to 50 per cent. of the cost of fixed capital assets.

The incentive scheme is running in conjunction with the Government's development plan for the Mediterranean Colony.

—UPI.

**French air passenger with opium pipe is fined \$5,500**

A Frenchman who arrived in Hongkong last Saturday by air was found to have an opium pipe and 1.3 oz. of prepared opium when he was searched in the airport by Revenue Officers.

**HAIRDRESSER WINS £1,000 IN 900-MILE MARATHON**

London, Mar. 15.

Wendy Lewis, a slim 19-year-old hairdresser, staggered to victory at 4 a.m. today at the head of the women's section of a 900-mile marathon walking race.

She was dazed, exhausted, could hardly speak. Her legs and feet were swollen.

Six weeks ago Wendy did the same walk—the entire length of Britain from John O'Groats, Scotland, to Lands End—just for the love of it.

Tonight she completed the course in 17 days to win a £1,000 prize offered for the first woman home in a walking race organised by Mr Billy Bullin, Britain's holiday camp "king."

The first men to complete the race arrived on Sunday.

Mr Bullin greeted Wendy with an embrace and handed over the £1,000 cheque. She had covered the 900 miles in 17 days and seven hours. Her previous trek took 24 days.

—Reuters.

The visitor, Jean Pierre Lachoche, 35, said to be the Managing Director of a French magazine on animals, this morning admitted three charges of importing drugs without a licence, possession of opium and the opium pipe.

He was fined a total of \$5,500 or four months by Mr I. M. S. Donnell at Kowloon Court.

Mr W. L. Stone, Senior Revenue Inspector, said Lachoche arrived from Bangkok and when asked said he had nothing to declare.

His suitcase was then searched and the opium and the pipe which was found in a false bottom.

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**THE BLONDE AND THE WOLVES**

London, Mar. 15.

The neighbours never really liked Mrs June Fytche's pets.

"My two dogs," she called them, but at night they bayed at the moon.

Mrs Fytche, blonde wife of a London barrister, finally admitted that her pets are not Alsatians as everyone thought.

"Why shouldn't I keep wolves in my yard?" she said. "They're much less trouble than real dogs."

The wolves, named Devil Face and Angel Face, are let loose in a 70-yard run covered by wire netting at the back of the Fytche house in suburban Clapham.

"I bought them from the London Zoo six months ago when they were young cubs," Mrs Fytche said. "They always say wolves can never be tamed, but I wanted to have a try."

"They could be wonderful protectors of old ladies and defenceless people in the streets," —AP.

**Jodrell Bank switches on space radio**

Jodrell Bank, Mar. 14.

Signals from Britain's giant radio-telescope here today switched on the transmitter in the United States sun satellite Pioneer V now about half a million miles out in space.

The Pioneer radioed back "loud and clear" information about her journey through space before being switched off again exactly 30 minutes later.

The radio telescope pointing five or six degrees above the south-eastern horizon contacted Pioneer V right on course again giving Britain the record for long-distance operating by radio.

**SMALL TRANSMITTER**

The satellite, travelling outwards at just under 7,000 miles an hour on her orbit round the sun between Venus and earth, was still using her smaller five-watt transmitter.

This will be operated as long as possible—probably for the next two or three weeks—to prevent strain on her principal 150-watt sun-charged apparatus.

Professor A.C.B. Lovell, director of Jodrell Bank, said that assuming the 150-watt transmitter comes on when wanted later he hopes to track the satellite for between 30 and 60 million miles.

**INFORMATION**

"It is assumed that the payload continues to function satisfactorily," he added. "We must remember that Explorer VI only lasted two months and Lunik III only a week."

Already, the facilities for receiving long-distance signals in Britain means that Jodrell Bank is receiving and recording eight times as much information from Pioneer V as is the American tracking station at Hawaii.

This information, being analysed by a joint team of British and American scientists, concerns magnetic fields, the sun's radiation and the number of dust particles encountered in space.—Reuters.

**Air Marshal coming**

Air Marshal Sir Walter Morton, KCB, OBE, Air Member for Supply and Organisation (Designate), will be visiting RAF units in the Colony during the period from March 16-20.

Sir Walter will arrive at Kai Tak at 5.30 p.m. tomorrow. He will be staying at Air House.

**Former Hongkong parson buys London magazine**

An Anglican priest formerly in Hongkong, has bought over a leading British weekly political magazine.

He is the Rev. Timothy Beaumont, 31-year-old former Assistant Chaplain of St John's Cathedral and later Vicar of Christ Church, Kowloon Tong.

He has bought the magazine, Time and Tide.

At one time he edited the Cathedral's monthly magazine, the St John's Review.

**No special job**

Mr Beaumont left Hongkong in November of last year after spending four years in the Colony.

He returned to England to get experience of working in an English parish church but had no special job to go back to.

This is Mr Beaumont's first venture in publishing.

He assumed control of the magazine by buying 99 per cent. of the controlling shares from Mr Leonard Bevington, who took over after the death

of the founder of the journal, Lady Rhonda.

His purchase of the magazine moves it from closing down. The directors had announced last week that it would be making its last appearance possibly this week.

The magazine published in London has a circulation of about 30,000 and circulates to people like cabinet ministers, bishops, members of parliament and students.

**Christian view**

Mr Beaumont said he intended to continue the paper as an independent journal. "The basic policy will be the same but there will be a definite Christian point of view and there may be considerable technical changes," he said.

Mr Beaumont, who is married with two children, was well-

known in Hongkong. He was married at St James, Piccadilly before coming to the Colony.

He was ordained at the Cathedral soon after his arrival in October 1956.

He was educated at Eton, Oxford and Cambridge and had considerable private means.

He had his theological training at Westcott College, Cambridge.

Mr Beaumont told a China Mail reporter before leaving Hongkong that before becoming a clergyman he had hoped to follow his father's footsteps and become a politician.

The Beaumonts had held the seat of Aylesbury for five generations "but it is going to end there because I have no brothers or sisters to take over from my father," he added.



The Rev. Tim Beaumont

From vicar of Kowloon church to publisher of a London magazine.



## Defence of freedom at stake in Berlin: Adenauer

Princeton, N.J., Mar. 14.

Chancellor Konrad Adenauer told the world tonight that the defence of freedom everywhere is at stake in Berlin.

He also called on his Western allies not to be impressed too much by Soviet gestures of strength and even less by their threats.

Addressing Princeton University at a convocation where he received an honorary degree of law, the Chancellor called for a "practical beginning" in the field of controlled disarmament and expressed his hope that such work will begin at the forthcoming East-West summit meeting.

### NUCLEUS OF QUESTION

Adenauer said "Once again we are confronted with the German question and with its most topical facet; the security and future of our capital, Berlin."

What is at stake is the freedom of two and a half million Berliners. Because the defence of freedom is indivisible and because it must be assured wherever it is attacked, what is at stake is the defence of freedom everywhere.

The real nucleus of the German question, he said, lies not so much in the restitution of unity but rather in the restitution of the right of self-determination for 10 million Germans in the Soviet zone of occupation.

"Fifteen years after the war the same people who demand most loudly the right of self-determination for every nation in Africa and Asia re-

fuse it to the German people," the Chancellor said.

"As long as the Soviet are paying lip service only to the idea of easing international tension and do everything in their power to actually prevent it by not granting the right of self-determination to millions of Europeans, it is impossible to believe in the good intentions of the Soviet leaders," he added.—UPI.

### Trapped miners not found

Logan, Va., Mar. 14. Rescue workers tonight fought their way into a section of a coalmine here where 18 men were believed trapped and found none there.

The miners have been missing since last Tuesday when a fire cut them off in a section four miles inside the mine.

A rescue official said: "We approached the first area where the men could have been. There were two dinner buckets and tools and machinery but no evidence of the men themselves."—Router.

## Law practice for famous Mr Duty

Little Rock, Mar. 14. A blind student whose difficulties attracted international attention several years ago may now practise law in his native state.

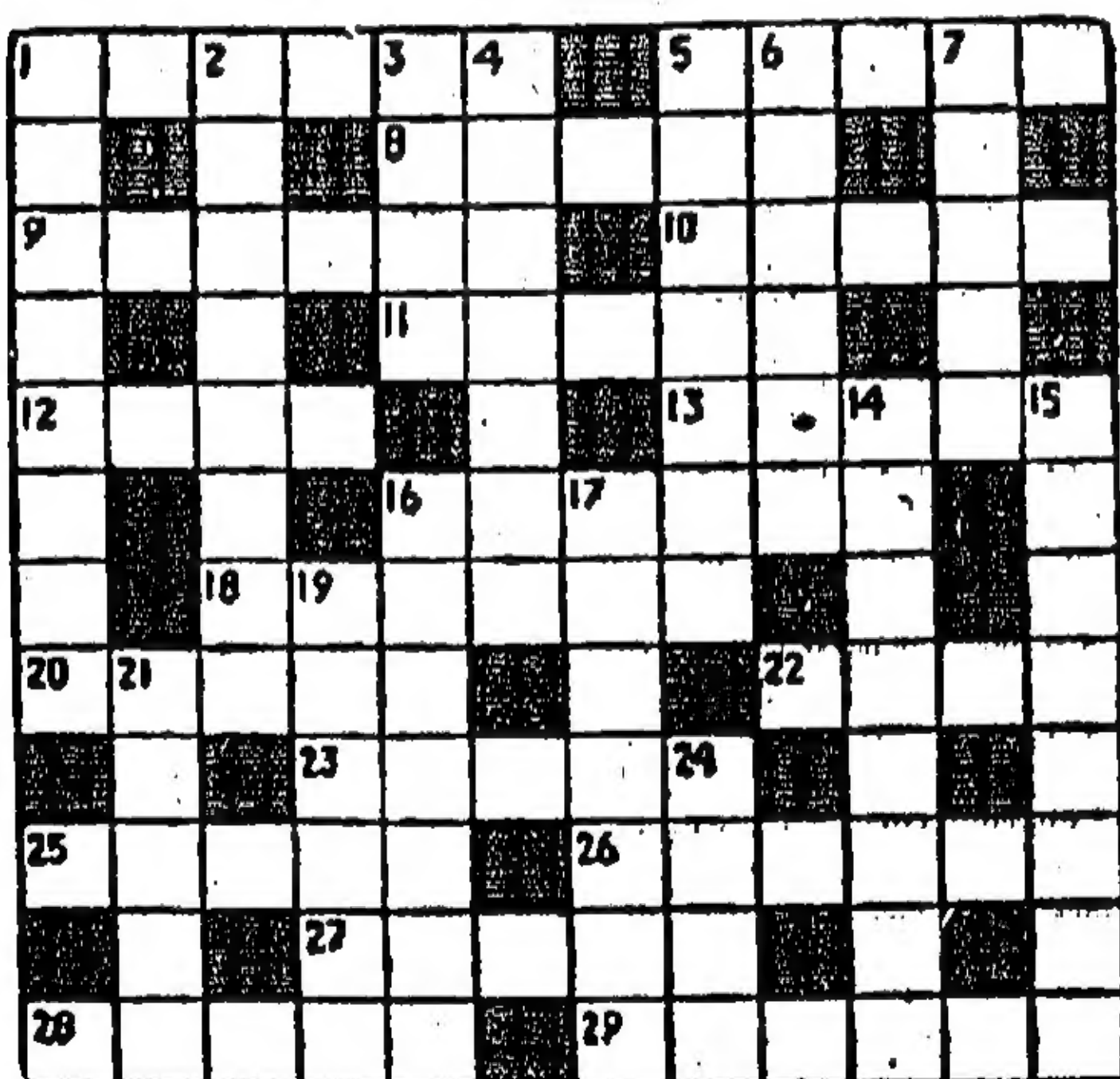
Mr Davis Duty's name was among those announced today as having passed the Arkansas bar examination last week.

Mr Duty came to public attention when his guide dog Binney wasn't allowed with him in England, where he went to study on a scholarship, until after several months' quarantine.

For a time it appeared that Mr Duty would give up the scholarship, but arrangements were made for him to use another guide dog until Binney's quarantine was ended.

Mr Duty now is working in Washington D.C.—AP.

### A British Crossword Puzzle



#### ACROSS

- 1 Professional viewer? (8)
- 2 The Mohammedan world (5)
- 3 Third town of Sweden (5)
- 4 Contemporary (8)
- 5 Student embraced by Irish (5)
- 6 Grinding tooth (5)
- 7 American expression (4)
- 8 Rascal found in camp (5)
- 9 Falls to make a hit with the girls? (6)
- 10 A bit for each (6)
- 11 Ant (5)
- 12 The brigadier's port (4)
- 13 Expression of annoyance in a post office? (5)
- 14 Musical instrument, and a loud one! (5)
- 15 A punch in the stomach (6)
- 16 Come right in, please (5)
- 17 Looks closely at people of high rank (6)
- 18 Devotee of the printed word (6)

#### DOWN

- 1 Offensively certain? (8)
- 2 Even the very young can give it a licking (8)
- 3 Devotional leader in a mosque (4)
- 4 Energy-producing unit of food (7)
- 5 I'm beyond my best in a deadlock (7)
- 6 The origin of Crutche, possibly (6)
- 7 Universally received principle (5)
- 8 Transferred, as in a cheque, for example (6)
- 9 One who should also practice? (8)
- 10 Those wearing them are not quite hand in glove (7)
- 11 Move quickly (7)
- 12 Make a thorough nuisance of oneself (6)
- 13 Bit of a mix-up (5)
- 14 Peel a pear, possibly (4)

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across: 1 Picnic, 5 Rates, 6 Cane, 8 Connor, 11 Tread, 12 Turner, 14 Felt, 16 A.D.-ode, 18 Exude, 19 Sun, 20 Refuse, 24 Learn, 25 Astray, 26 Elve, 27 Stair 28 Idlers. Down: 1 Pick, 2 Cane, 3 IC-one, 4 Cornet, 5 Retreat, 6 Treason, 7 Snigger, 8 Spect, 13 Pebbles, 14 Fairways, 15 Lessor, 17 Burn, 19 Safari, 21 Used, 22 Dred, 23 A-yes.

## B.B. wants ex-fiance for love scenes

London, Mar. 14.

Brigitte Bardot is trying out leading men for a passionate love scene in her next film "La Verite" at the Studio Maurice in Paris.

The choice of the man to partner B.B. is giving director Clouzot a headache. For B.B. is insisting that it shall be her ex-fiance Jean-Louis Trenignant.

A mild scene started on the set when M. Clouzot introduced one of his choice, black-haired French pin-up Sammy Frey. At first B.B. stamped her feet and said: "I refuse to rehearse with this man. Jean-Louis it must be, or I will not appear in the film."

An hour later Brigitte, slightly mollified by Clouzot's persuasions, agreed to shoot some scenes with Sammy Frey. Clouzot was enthusiastic. "Magnificent," he said.

But B.B. telephoned Jean-Louis Trenignant, recuperating from a ski-jumping accident at home, and said: "Come to the studio as soon as possible before it is too late."

Meanwhile, B.B.'s husband, Jacques Charrier, is reported to be very angry at the idea of his wife's ex-fiance playing the very French, very torrid love scenes.—London Express Service.



Brigitte Bardot

## Woman tells court of fatal scuffle with husband

New York, March 14.

Mrs Loraine Heyl was charged with murder today in the shooting of her insurance executive husband.

Charles H. Heyl, 69, President of the Lloyd American Life Insurance Co. of Mobile, Alabama, was fatally wounded last night in the hallway of his home.

He served as U.S. military governor of Southern Bavaria at the end of World War Two.

Mrs Heyl, 42, a tall, attractive brunette, was placed in jail here. No bond was set.

### ARGUMENT

Sheriff Taylor Wilkins said she told this story:

She and her husband had an argument. Heyl went into a bedroom and brought a 32 calibre pistol back into the hallway.

They continued the argument and she took the gun from him. He started scuffling with her over the weapon and it went off. She said she did not think it was loaded.

Heyl dropped to the floor, shot in the chest. He died about two hours later.

Wilkins said Mrs Heyl was in an apparent state of shock and did not further explain the argument.—AP.

### Nehru's visit

New Delhi, Mar. 14.

Indian Premier Jawaharlal Nehru told the Indian Foreign Affairs Consultative Committee today that no firm answer had yet been received from Chinese Premier Chou En-lai on the subject of his visit to Delhi.—AP.

## 500 arrested for rioting

Elisabethville, Belgian Congo, Mar. 14.

An estimated 500 persons have been arrested as a result of the bloody rioting which broke out here over the past weekend, it was learned today.

The African quarters of the city today presented a sorry spectacle, with abandoned houses pillaged by looters, several houses burned and the streets filled with furniture and broken window glass.—AP.

## Elections in Korea begin

Seoul, Mar. 15.

Black-uniformed police carrying carbines guarded the polls today as the Republic of Korea opened voting which was certain to return Syngman Rhee to the office of President for an unprecedented fourth term.

The 84-year-old leader, whose sole opponent died last month, needs to get the votes of only one third of the 11,100,000 registered voters to win the election.—UPI.

## 41-DAY COURT CASE COST £41,000

London, Mar. 15.

One of the longest English High Court hearings of recent years ended here yesterday after 41 days.

Ten barristers took part and documents referred to run to over 2,000 pages.

A team of three shorthand writers transcribed over 1,300,000 words of evidence and speeches.

At the close the judge held that Mr Harold Auten, 38, London businessman, had failed to establish a cause of action against any of the five defendants—including a detective in the City of London fraud squad—who he alleged had financially ruined him by a conspiracy.

The 41-day case is estimated to have cost £1,000 a day.—Router.

## Kassem hits at usurpers of Palestine

Baghdad, Mar. 14.

Premier Abdel Karim Kassem today called Egypt, Jordan and Israel "the three thieves of Palestine."

"They have stolen the fatherland of the Palestine people," the Iraqi strongman said in an interview with the Associated Press.

His black eyes sparkling, Kassem said "I call for the establishment of a Palestine republic. We will help the Palestinians all we can—with money, arms, munitions and we will train them."

"But the greatest burden for recovery of the whole of Palestine must fall on the Palestine people themselves. If the Palestinians continue to depend on others to do it for them they are wrong. For Jordan, Egypt and Israel want to keep the parts of Palestine they have usurped."—AP.

## Airliner develops trouble

New York, Mar. 14.

An Eastern Air Lines jet plane headed for Miami, Florida, with 103 persons aboard was forced to jettison seven and a half tons of fuel and return to Idlewild airport yesterday after trouble developed in the oil cooling system of one of its four engines.

Capt. T. Holdcroft flew the jet out to sea to unload the fuel after the engine trouble developed 60 miles south of Idlewild shortly after takeoff yesterday afternoon. It was necessary to lighten the plane in order to meet landing limitations on weight at the airport.

The return landing was made without incident an hour and 15 minutes after takeoff. The passengers were transferred to other Miami-bound planes.—UPI.

## London-Paris tunnel would take 1800 cars an hour

London, Mar. 14.

British Transport Commission Administrative Director M. A. Cameron said today that double-decker trains in a future channel tunnel would carry 1,800 cars an hour, cutting the London-Paris journey to 4 hours 20 minutes.

Cameron, speaking to the London Transport Institute, added that special through trains carrying cars and their passengers from Birmingham to Nice via the tunnel were also envisaged. A signalling system had been worked out to enable a train to enter the tunnel every 3 minutes, but the interval in practice would be 5 minutes. Every 18 hours, altogether 216 trains in both directions would pass through the tunnel, actually two one-way tunnels.

### BENEFIT WORLD

The tunnel, which would benefit not only France and Britain but the whole free world, seemed at last to be on the point of becoming a reality, he said. For practical reasons of ventilation, the tunnel would take trains only, but could in any case carry far more traffic than a road tunnel. Trains would be electric, travelling at 63 m.p.h., and would make the crossing in 45 minutes.

One outstanding question, Cameron said, was whether to make the tunnel Franco-British territory or to set up a frontier in the middle.—AP.

## Wave of arson on East German farms

Berlin, Mar. 14.

East Germans are showing their opposition to enforced collectivisation of agriculture by a wave of arson.

A Communist newspaper said this today.

The paper said a series of criminal fires had occurred recently, especially on collective and state farms. In one area alone, there had been 1,273 fires in a year causing damage totalling nearly £500,000. According to refugees from East Germany, arson has also been prevalent in other districts, particularly Mecklenburg, where the number of fires has increased sharply since January.—AP.

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# Two British 'eggheads' conquer Broadway

TWO eggheads are better than one is the slogan of Michael Flanders and Donald Swann. And they have proved it in their two-man revue "At the Drop of a Hat."

These old-school-tie-and-Oxford entertainers have pulled off an astonishing coup on Broadway, where they have hung up their hats for six months now.

It is amazing. No one would have believed it. But "At the Drop of a Hat" with its mild English jokes and clever English songs, has become the longest-running show of the Broadway season.

And Broadway is the place, do not forget, where three British shows out of four flop in their first three weeks.

Flanders and Swann have not only conquered American theatre-goers. The long-playing record of the show, launched when it opened, has sold tens of thousands of copies.

"Have you heard the Flanders and Swann record?" they ask in New York parties, just as in London they say "Have you heard Tom Lehrer?"

It is the smart after-dinner record. It is the hit of Harvard, Yale, and Princeton.

## SHAKESPEARE'S darkest

Othello, Iago, was cheered and the hero Othello was booed, when the university student's staged scenes from famous plays for 900 criminals in Leavenworth Federal Prison, Kansas.

As Othello strangled Desdemona, one prisoner shouted: "Don't do it, Buster, they'll send you to jail."

## THOUGHTFUL thief at Portland, Maine, jacked up a parked car, stole a new tyre, and replaced it with one of his own worn retreads.

TWO young gunmen tied up a woman employee and stole diamonds worth anything between \$20,000 and \$250,000 from a Phoenix, Arizona, firm recently.

## MARRIAGE with white, women is not the Negro's goal in his fight for equality, said the American Negro leader, the Rev. Martin Luther King.

"The basic aim is to be the white man's brother, not his brother-in-law," he said.

JEWS in greater New York number a record 2,370,000. In New York City the Jewish population has quadrupled since 1900, and is now 27 per cent of the total population.

## BEAUTIFUL Manhattan socialite Pamela Sweeney, pictured below, escaped arrest by voluntarily appearing in a New York court to answer a custody case. Wife of Robert Sweeney, millionaire and former British amateur golf champion, fair-haired Pamela is having trouble with her former husband, cotton broker Joseph Wade, over the custody of their eight-year-old son. Wade said Pamela had denied him visiting rights, and obtained a writ against her.

**CHEATING** college students gave New York a new scandal recently. The District Attorney's agents raided four ghost writing agencies who supplied these and term's papers for high fees.

Some scholars have paid 3,000 dollars (£1,970) for these they need for doctorates, and smaller amounts for masters' theses.

A tricky homework task or term paper would be taken care of for from 50 to 350 dollars.

For a varying fee it was even possible for a student to recruit a well-educated "ringer" to fit in for him at a final exam.

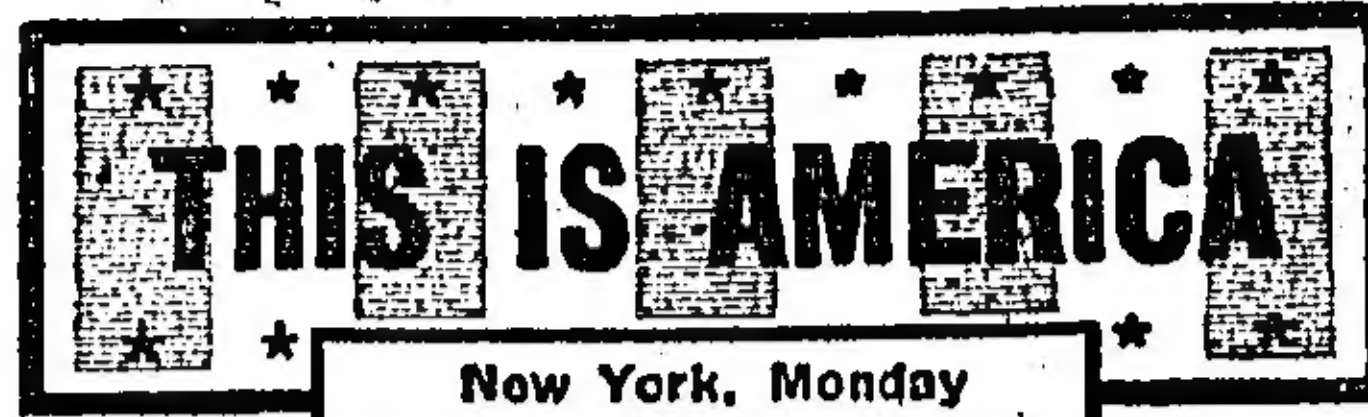
**HOW MUCH** would you all understand of what those bustling Southern businessmen are saying in Washington?

Here are some more words from my brief guide to Southern pronunciation:

Alibi: your father's sister. Beekon: eaten with algae for breakfast. Abode: a plank. Baner: "I can't hear what he's saying." Minuet: we both danced already.

Glossary: Aunt, bacon, eggs, breakfast, board, saying, and "me and you also."

**SAMUEL D. EARL** kissed his wife goodbye and left the



house at the usual time to start work at the family furniture factory in Herkimer, New York State. Then he walked into the town of the bottom of the garden and shot himself in the head.

The death of 40-year-old Mr. Earl saved the Standard Furniture factory which his grandfather founded.

Samuel Earl carried a 700,000-dollar (\$250,000) life insurance policy — and the company was the sole beneficiary.

Twenty-one are now in jail for obstructing justice. They refused to talk.

But last week — and Charles Stragusa, a top agent of the Federal Narcotics Bureau, revealed what the Mafia bosses decided at that meeting. The dope-pushing business had become too dangerous and they decided to get out of it.

**INGRID BERGMAN's** daughter Jenny, pictured below, whose father is Dr. Peter Lindstrom, said in Oakland, California, recently that she and her husband want to be cowboys.

He is Fuller Callaway, 28-year-old electronic firm's administrative director. They married secretly in Nevada's Elko police station the other day. She is 21, and still a student.

**SACCO and Vanzetti**, the Italian-American anarchists who were executed in 1927, are to have their story told in opera. The Ford Foundation has commissioned Marc Blitzstein, who adapted the "Threepenny Opera" into English, to write the music and the libretto.

The trial and execution of Sacco and Vanzetti caused worldwide uproar in the 1920's, even bigger than the present controversy over Caryl Chessman.

Sacco and Vanzetti were convicted of a payroll hold-up in which two men were killed. But were they guilty? Or were they sentenced to die because they were acknowledged anarchists?

After four and a half years of legal manoeuvre Sacco and Vanzetti died in the electric chair.

**NO more ship-launching** trouble if you use the naming bottle invented by Mr. William Laughran of Manusquan, New Jersey.

It is a champagne bottle guaranteed to break.

Inside is a foaming chemical that makes a much better show for the photographers than

**HAP TEST DAYS?** The University of Michigan has just interviewed 500 students at the college clinic and come up with this result: 35.4 per cent are psychoneurotic.

**JOLIE GABOR**, mother of Zsa Zsa and the other famous

**The man who was bald at four had flowing locks at 29**

London, March 14.  
FROM the age of four, Dr Edmund Atkinson's patient had been as bald as a coot. Even with a magnifying glass, not the slightest trace of hair could be seen on his head.

Furthermore, the man never had to shave. The Daily Medical Journal recently, says he advised the man, then aged 29, not to waste his money on patent hair tonics.

The man, however, never abandoned hope. He perished the doctor from time to time with new of this or that "wonder drug."

The doctor gave in, once or twice and prescribed the treatment. To no avail. Nothing

happened. Neither a wisp nor a suspicion of hair appeared.

**AMAZEMENT**  
Then in January last year the man heard about cortisone and he worried the doctor until he was given an appointment to see a skin specialist.

"To my amazement," writes Dr. Atkinson, "in five weeks his hair was sprouting widely and in two months he had a good growth. In three months he had a crop of hair of which anybody could be proud...and

# • BY THE WAY •

By Beachcomber

HAVING regard to the existing circumstances — and if they did not exist there would be none of them to have regard to — it is, perhaps, of course, not too much to say that any attempt to integrate the various factors under consideration must, of its very nature, take into account the present position in all its aspects.

This is not to say that things being equal, there might not arise the possibility of other factors, hitherto unsuspected, which would necessitate a reconsideration of the whole issue, things being as they are. And that they are as they are is undeniable.

## Civic Psychological

THE craze for silly euphemisms (e.g., euthanasia for murder) is well exemplified by the suggestion that schools for young delinquents should be called Registered Residential Training Centres. Why not Juvenile Scholastic Hostels, Youth Instructional Camp Centres, or Sociological Adolescent Advice Clinics?

**The nation's conscience**  
THOUGH street betting will be a hell of a lot more than a hell of a lot less, there are signs that a grocer or a milkman may one day be permitted to accept a bet on the doorstep of a house where he is delivering.

If he slips off the step on a frosty day he will be guilty of street betting, and the full majesty of the Law, backed by the national conscience, will deal with him. "If," said a stockbroker, "there is one thing this country will not tolerate it is the ordinary man's irresponsible mania for trying to make money by gambling instead of by honest work."

(London Express Service).

**THE VOICE OF THE BROTHER'S** head, cradled into his arms from the ground — Genesis 4:10.

The stones do cry out against sin, even our own memories may make life intolerable in time and eternity. It is better to keep a clean slate, or make right what we have done wrong.

Press-Radio Bible Service, Inc. Cincinnati, Ohio.

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# AUSTRALIAN NEWSLETTER by E.M.H.

## The giants no longer confront one

## another in Canberra

THE most redoubtable political duellists of their generation no longer faced each other across the table of the House in the new session which opened in Canberra last week.

Relinquishing his hopes of becoming Prime Minister, Ewart has withdrawn from the buffeting of politics to the eminent placidity of the N.S.W. Chief Justiceship, leaving Menzies in possession of the field.

On the credit side, buyers had paid \$357,000 for more than 1,000 blocks of land. The director said: "Most of the people who apply for a plot on the aircraft are genuine buyers."

"There are a few who just go along for the ride, but then some people might buy up to six blocks."

The lease of the Plaza Hotel, Wynyard, which is built over the entrance to Sydney's best-known subway station, has been sold to a company which proposes to build on the site a \$4 million 15-story hotel and a 22-story office block.

The sale price has not been disclosed. The Plaza Hotel site, owned by the Railways Department, is regarded as one of the most valuable hotel properties in the State.

It has been a centre of political controversy for 30 years. The hotel has the largest bar space and liquor sales in New South Wales, but only 12 bedrooms.

**A boom in home-unit building has more than tripled the number of flats under construction in Australia in three years.**

Figures from the Commonwealth statistician show that 6,170 flats were being built in the three months to December 31 last year, compared with 1,172 for the last quarter of 1959.

Most of these flats are designed for sale as home units. Houses under construction in the three months to the end of December last year numbered 44,519 compared with 51,255 for the corresponding period in 1959, a decline of several thousand.

Real estate agents last week said that the boom in home units had also brought fierce selling competition.

"Two years ago you could sell a modern home unit with a hard concrete floor," one agent specialising in home-unit sales said.

"Now the buyer gets the unit complete with parquet flooring or wall-to-wall carpet, and often a washing machine and dryer."

"In the one or two-bedroom unit selling for up to \$5,000 the selling competition is pretty fierce because the buyer has a wide choice in select suburbs."

**FRIDAY, MARCH 11**  
By Surface  
China, People's Republic, 7 a.m. E.S. & W. Africa (Ghana & Belgian Congo parcels direct), Noon.  
Macao, 1 p.m.  
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Macao, 6 p.m.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 12**  
By Surface  
China, People's Republic, 7 a.m. E.S. & W. Africa (Ghana & Belgian Congo parcels direct), Noon.  
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**SUNDAY, MARCH 13**  
By Surface  
China, People's Republic, 7 a.m. E.S. & W. Africa (Ghana & Belgian Congo parcels direct), Noon.  
Macao, 1 p.m.  
Macao, 4 p.m.  
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**MONDAY, MARCH 14**  
By Surface  
China, People's Republic, 7 a.m. E.S. & W. Africa (Ghana & Belgian Congo parcels direct), Noon.  
Macao, 1 p.m.  
Macao, 4 p.m.  
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**TUESDAY, MARCH 15**  
By Air  
Vietnam, France, 3 p.m.  
Hawaii, U.S.A., C. & S. America, 3 p.m.  
Malaya, Indonesia, Ceylon, India, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, Europe, 3 p.m.  
Canada, 6 p.m.

**By Surface**  
India, Pakistan (P. India via Karachi), Iraq, Iran, (Bahrain & Kuwait parcels direct), 3 p.m.  
Malaya, Indonesia, Ceylon, India, Middle East, Africa, Great Britain, Europe, 3 p.m.  
Philippines, 3 p.m.  
Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, 3 p.m.  
North Borneo, Sarawak, 6 p.m.  
India, Egypt, Aden, 6 p.m.



**KING'S PRINCESS**  
AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M. AT 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

— FINAL TO-DAY —

**Jayhawkers**  
PARKER MADREY  
TECHNICOLOR

— STARTS TO-MORROW —

**A CREEPING, CRUSHING MONSTER FROM MARSH**  
THE TERROR FROM BEYOND SPACE

— COMING ATTRACTION —

**SHANE HANDS WITH THE DEVIL**  
JAMES CAGNEY  
DANA WYNTER  
JOHN BRADSHAW

**HOOVER GALA**  
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**SECOND WEEK**  
TO-DAY AT 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 and 9.30 P.M.

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AIR-CONDITIONED

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At 2.30—5.00—7.20 & 9.40 p.m.

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## GLASS FAULT BLAMED FOR 'VISION'

Edinburgh, Mar. 14.

More than 200 sightseers besieged a house at Stevenston last night where a nine-year-old boy is said to have seen a "vision."

The boy's father, Mr. William Guiney, said his son Robert first saw the "vision" on Thursday night on the glass panel of an inside door of the house.

Later, other people said they could see it when a light shone from the other side of the panel.

Some thought it was the figure of the Virgin Mary, others that of Jesus Christ. Its size varied from three inches to two feet.

The Express quoted a Roman Catholic minister as saying: "This is purely a phenomenon. If it was a true sign of God it would appear only to the person it was intended for."

A local glass-maker blamed it on a fault in the glass. China Mail Special.

## New art gallery in Britain

Coventry, Mar. 14. The first art gallery and museum to be built in Britain since the war has been opened here.

The gallery, named after Sir Alfred Herbert, the industrialist who gave £275,000 towards its cost, was officially inaugurated by his widow, Lady Herbert.

On view in the £500,000 gallery is an international loan exhibition, which includes a £250,000 Rembrandt—"Saskia with a Red Flower"—and a £250,000 Rembrandt—"Saskia with a Red Flower".

Sir Charles Wheller, president of the Royal Academy, who opened the exhibition, said the opening of a new gallery was a rare occasion "so rare as to be a phenomenon."

Referring to the bombs that levelled Coventry during World War II, he said: "Bombs have dropped very thickly, too, in the art world. Some of them have shaken the complacency that did exist, complacency that carried to extreme degrees could have meant death to art."

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## Explosion

Montreal, Mar. 14. Three railway tank cars of propane gas exploded at the Superior Propane Limited plant today. One man was killed and two injured.

A fourth tank car was threatened by the flames, which shot about 100 feet into the air. The cars contained about 25,000 gallons of gas each.—AP.

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## PROPOSALS IN THE AIR

London, Mar. 14.

A young English air hostess, who estimates she receives "two or three marriage proposals from Americans every month," has returned to the United States after recruiting more girls here for Trans-World Airlines.

She is 23-year-old Miss Peta Motenale from Fleetwood, Lancashire, who has been flying as an air hostess with TWA for two years on internal routes.

The proposals come from passengers on the jet airliner in which she flies from San Francisco and New York, she said.

And the girls she has helped to recruit in a three-week drive can expect the same number of advances.

## GOOD FOR EGO

"They need not worry unduly. We do not take the proposals seriously," Miss Motenale said. "If you are foolish you can easily prevent embarrassment."

"American men are quite a challenge although I would not say they are all wolves. I always treat them with a sense of honour and in any case this attention is good for a girl's ego."

TWA hopes to recruit about 50 British girls.—China Mail Special.

## Clothes for Russians

London, Mar. 14.

The well-dressed Moscow woman soon may be sporting a dress with a "Made in England" label it was reported today.

A London manufacturer, Wallace Austin said that he just received a big order for women's suits and casuals, probably the first such order from the other side of the Iron Curtain.

Russian women are definitely keen to wear English clothes, said Austin, head of the Mognessa fashion house.—UPI.

## Not responsible for pigeons' habits

Richmond, Va., Mar. 14.

An American judge cited verdicts by British judges in the reigns of King Charles I and Queen Elizabeth I in ruling that a highway authority was not responsible for the habits of wild pigeons roosting in one of its bridges.

Judge Robert Young said that a judge in the eighth year of the reign of King Charles I ruled that a forest owner was not responsible for damage to neighbour's grass caused by rabbits.

And in the 38th year of Queen Elizabeth's reign a judge held that a nuisance could not be maintained against the owner of a warren from which rabbits emerged to eat the plaintiff's corn.

In the action here the Seaboard Railroad Company complained that pigeons roosting in a bridge, owned by Richmond-Petersburg Turnpike authority

scattered cars parked in a railway station yard under the bridge.

The railroad was forced to reduce its parking charges, and claimed damages.

But Judge Young said the defendants were "no more at fault" because the pigeons happen to like roosting in its bridge than was the owner cited in the King Charles rabbit case.—China Mail Special.

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## Shocks for fish

Southampton, Mar. 14.

There is nothing like an electric shock to relax the nervous system of a fish and give its health a turn for the better, according to an "electric" fisherman, near here.

Mr. J. Sullivan, who is using an electric fishing system to clear coarse fish from the waters of a fly fishing club, said the method was very advanced and did no damage to the fish.

Electrified nets stun the fish for about five minutes, and they rise to the surface where they can be sorted.

"Almost extraordinary fact is that when the fish do recover they are in much better health than ever before, probably because for the first time in their lives their whole nervous system has relaxed," Mr. Sullivan said.

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## Earliest letter found

Tel. Aviv, Mar. 14.

A 14-line inscription written in a sort of ink on a potsherd unearthed during excavation of a fortress gatehouse south of here was described as "the earliest letter ever found in the Holy Land."

Its discovery was announced by the Ministry of Education's Department of Antiquities after Israeli archaeologists had then been digging for three weeks on a one-and-a-half-acre site on the coastal plain near here.

Mr. Yosef Naveh, Inspector of Antiquities, said the Hebrew letter began, "May my lord Prince hear the words of thy servant."

"It appeared to be a petition from a peasant to a Prince reigning at the fortress, begging him for the restitution of his cloak, which was taken away from him at harvest time for alleged non-payment of a debt or tax."

Scholars here believe the letter was expertly written by a scribe at the position's dictation, and estimate it to be at least half a century older than the earliest known Hebrew inscription, found in 1935 and written just before the destruction of Jerusalem in 588 B.C. by the commander of a fortress in Judaea to the commanding officer stationed at Lachish.—China Mail Special.

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# Interesting finish to fourth Test now likely

## ENGLAND 110 FOR TWO AFTER BEING 107 RUNS BEHIND ON FIRST INNINGS

Georgetown, Mar. 14.

England, who have lost both openers while only just clearing their first innings deficit, enter the final day of the fourth Test three runs ahead with eight wickets left.

The West Indies, one down in the series, ensured an interesting finish tomorrow to a game that seemed doomed to be drawn, when they dismissed Geoff Pullar with the last ball of the day.

England were 110 for two at the close after the West Indies had declared shortly after lunch at 402 for eight, taking a first innings lead of 107.

With the injured Ken Barrington and Haman Subba Row among the England batsmen, a keen tussle lies ahead.

Counterbalancing this is the fact that Chester Watson, the West Indies fast bowler, is not expected to take any further part in the match because of torn ligaments in his right ankle.

Dave Allen struck a big blow for England this morning when he dismissed Frank Worrell and Garfield Sobers in the first half-hour but a seventh wicket stand of 55 in 75 minutes between Gerry Alexander and Rex Scurlett ensured the West Indies of a useful lead.

### New record

Subers, who had added only three runs, battled seven hours for his 145, which included one six and 18 fours.

The West Indies were 302 for six at lunch but Alexander was

run out almost immediately afterwards before Freddie Trueman bowled Charan Singh for a duck.

This gave Trueman his 19th wicket of the series, setting a new record for an Englishman in the West Indies. Previous best was Jim Laker's 18 wickets in the 1947-48 series.

England began a badly but looked in trouble when Colin Cowdrey was stumped with 40 on the board. But resolute batting by Geoff Pullar and Ted Dexter saw 70 runs added before Pullar was leg-before to Worrell from the first ball of the last over.—Reuter.

### Scoreboard

England — 1st Innings — 285 (M. C. Cowdrey 65, D. A. Allen 55, W. Hall 6 for 90).

West Indies — 1st Innings — C. Hunte c Trueman b Allen 39, E. McMorris c Swann b Statham 35, R. Kanhai c Dexter b Trueman 55, G. Sobers st Swann b Allen 145, C. L. Walcott b Trueman 39, F. C. Alexander run out 33, R. Scurlett not out 29, C. K. Singh b Trueman 0, W. Hall not out 8.

Extras 8.

Total (for 8 wks dec) 402

Fall of wickets 1-67, 2-77, 3-102, 4-212, 5-333, 6-338, 7-353, 8-398.

### Bowling Analysis

Trueman 40 6 110 3, Statham 36 6 79 1, Illingworth 43 11 72 0, Barrington 6 2 22 0, Allen 42 11 75 3, Dexter 5 0 20 0.

Byes 4, legbyes 12, no-balls 2.

England — 2nd Innings — G. Pullar lbw Worrell 47, M. C. Cowdrey st Alexander b Singh 27, E. R. Dexter not out 30, Extras 0.

Total (for 2 wks) 110

### Bowling to Date

Hall 0 0 31 0, Worrell 0 1 5 10, Scurlett 18 9 22 0, Singh 16 12 7 1, Sobers 1 0 17 0, Walcott 3 0 17 0.

Byes 3, legbyes 2, no-balls 1.

— Reuter.

## TEAM SPIRIT IS NEW FAVOURITE FOR THE GRAND NATIONAL

London, Mar. 14.

Little Irish-trained horse, Team Spirit, became the new favourite for the Grand National at 8 to 1 in tonight's callover at the Victoria Club on the Lincolnshire Handicap and the Grand National.

Team Spirit displaced Wyndburgh, who eased from 8 to 1 to 11 to 1 following his poor performance at Ayr last Saturday, when he was fourth of six runners.

Dandy Scot remained second favourite at 10 to 1.

In the Lincolnshire too, an Irish challenger was prominent. Courts Appeal, trained by Vincent O'Brien, came from 14 to 1 to 12 to 1 to take second place in the betting to the 9 to 1 favourite, Lindrick, who following his good gallop at Doncaster hardened one point from 10 to 1 to his current price.

Sovereign Path was the only one of any note backed for the Lincoln. He was backed to win £3,000.

In the Grand National Polar Flight was backed to win £9,000, Polished Steel £8,000, Team Spirit £4,800, Budanloch £4,000, and Merryman £3,500. Prices at the callover were:

### LINCOLNSHIRE

0-1 Lindrick; 12-1 Courts Appeal; 14-1 Fuel, Mustavin, Zanzibar and Major General; 10-1 Franchise; 20-1 Chalk Pot Harvest and Sovereign Path; 25-1 Falls of Shin, Firecracker, Lavandier, Lucky Guy, Marshall Pit, Michael's Trigger, William F. and Small Slam; 33-1 Abbott's Star, Ucho, El Toro and Pacifico.

### GRAND NATIONAL

8-1 Team Spirit; 10-1 Dandy Scot; 11-1 Wyndburgh and Merryman; 16-1 Kerstin and Mr What; 18-1 Badanloch; 22-1 Clover Bug, Golden Drop and Lady Nennig; 25-1 Clear Profit and Knottown; 28-1 Cannoble Lee; 33-1 Polar Flight; Polished Steel, Green Drill, Holly Bank, Tea Fend and Arles.—Reuter.

## 'Varsity boat crews in final preparations

London, Mar. 14.

Both Oxford and Cambridge began their final preparations on the River Thames here today for the 106th University Boat Race on April 2.

The crews have been training in home waters for the annual event since the beginning of the year.

The dull, chilly weather, Cambridge won over the full course of four miles, 374 yards from Putney Bridge to Mortlake. They began with a leisurely paddle, but finished the river trip with a splendid burst, covering the final three-quarters of a mile from Barnes Bridge to the Winning Post only five seconds outside the record.

### NEW-STYLE OARS

Oxford, who a year ago gained only their fourth victory since the war, brought out their new-style oars for their first Thames outing. These are eight inches wide, short in length, and look more like spades, covering less than five miles in all. Cambridge lead in the historic series with 59 wins. Oxford have won 46 times and the 1877 race ended with a dead heat.—China Mail Special.

### KEEP MUM

An Italian Court of Law has ruled that a referee of a football match is a public official and as such it is a crime for spectators to shout at or abuse him in any way.

It is also a crime, the Court said, for players to argue over any of his decisions. The punishment can vary from a fine to ten years in jail.—Banews Service.

## Elliott, Thomas beaten at Melbourne meeting

Melbourne, Mar. 14.

Peter Snell, 21-year-old New Zealander today defeated Australia's half-mile stars Tony Blue and Herb Elliott in the 800 metres challenge event on the second day of a festival athletic meeting at Melbourne's Olympic Stadium.

Snell moved out from the rest of the field about 150 yards from the top and Blue could not make up the loopy.

Snell's time was a moderate 1 min 51.3 seconds.

But a headwind of 3 1/4 metres in the straight obviously affected the runners.

World mile record holder Herb Elliott ran a poor sixth. He said after the race that he was still suffering from the effects of a cold.

Elliott said he was not disappointed at his run.

Australia's latest print star Miss Pat Duggan of Queensland had an easy victory in the 100 metres race for women, in 12.1 seconds.

Miss Duggan was not extended and could have run a faster time had the competition been stronger.

Murray Halberg of New Zealand ran brilliantly to win the 1000 metres in 3 mins 47 secs.

He defeated world two and three mile record holder Albert Thomas whose time was 3 min 48.1 seconds. New Zealander Barry Robinson ran 21.7 seconds to beat Australia's Dennis Tipling and Heyan Baker in the men's 200 metres.—China Mail Special.

## Boycott suggestion on S. African's cricket tour criticised

London, Mar. 14.

A hint by Mr Hugh Gaitskell, leader of the opposition British Labour Party, that a boycott of the South African Test cricket team may be called this summer provoked criticism today in cricketing circles.

Mr Gaitskell told a public meeting in Yorkshire at the weekend: "Personally I detect the application of the colour bar in sport as much as I do anywhere else. I deplore it."

"We shall have to consider when the time comes in what way we can best make known to those who come here how we feel about this subject. I think we shall have to consider that carefully."

## Wolves 2-1 favourites for FA Cup

London, Mar. 14.

Wolverhampton Wanderers were made clear favourites at 2 to 1 for the English Football Association Cup at the Victoria Club call-over here tonight.

Sheffield Wednesday, who were joint favourites with Wolves last week, are now at 4 to 1, with Aston Villa next in the market at 9 to 2.

Blackburn Rovers, who meet Burnley in a replay on Wednesday, were quoted at 11 to 2, with Burnley outsiders of the "field" at 13 to 2.—Reuter.

The all-white South African cricket team is due to play 33 matches, including five Tests in the United Kingdom between mid-April and mid-September.

Mr Billy Griffiths, assistant secretary of MCC commented at Lord's today: "The MCC has always welcomed teams that come to this country whatever their colour or creed."

"The selection of the South African team has nothing to do with us. We shall be delighted to meet whoever comes."

"As for this suggestion of a boycott, I would not have thought cricketers would wish to mix politics with cricket."

### No politics

Mr G. O. Allen, chairman of the English Test team selection committee, said "In cricket we try to keep out of politics. I wish politicians would try to keep out of cricket."

Mr Stephen Swingle, chairman of the Labour Party's left-wing "Ginger Group", known as "Victory for Socialism", said "I am quite a cricket fan and I often go to Lord's."

"I feel this boycott idea is not something to be used in an indiscriminate way. But if those who are conducting the present campaign decide to appeal for a boycott as a means of demonstrating against apartheid, you can be quite sure I should join."

"Otherwise, I should hope to find time to see a match myself."

The Labour Party, together with the Trades Union Congress and other bodies, is currently sponsoring a month-long boycott during March of South African products in the shops.

Intended as an appeal against South African racial policies, this movement began, according to its organisers, in response to appeals from liberal groups in the Union of South Africa.

The organising secretary of the boycott movement, Mr Martin Jenkins, said here today: "It is quite clear that there will be demonstrations when the South African cricket team comes here."

"British people know there are plenty of very good coloured cricketers and an all-white team will certainly be the subject of protests."

"But whether there will be an organised protest like the present movement, I am not in a position to know."—China Mail Special.

## Radical changes made in French rugby team

Paris, Mar. 14.

The French selectors revealed radical changes in the French team to play Wales at Cardiff on March 26 in the Five Nations International Rugby Union Tournament when they announced the line-up here today.

No fewer than five players were tipped out of the team that played to a dull, tame three-all draw with England at Paris in what was to have been the vital and exciting clash of this season's tournament.

Moriceq and Roge have been pulled off the wings, Marquisuzan plucked out of centre, Danos banished from scrum-half after his painful performance against England's Jepps, and Meyer has been dragged from the back row.

The old internationals Dupuy and Rancoule return to the wings, Guy Boniface takes his first cap at centre, Lacroix is at scrum-half and Larrieu plays in the second row for his first international match.

### The team

The French line-up was announced as: Fullback—Janner (Racing Club De France); Three-quarters—Dupuy (Toulouse), Bouquet (Vienne), Guy Boniface (Toulouse) and Rancoule (Toulouse); Fly-half—Martine (Lourdes); Scrum-half—Lacroix (Mont De Marsan); Forwards—Moncla (Pau), Captain, Crauste (Lourdes), Celaya (Stade Bordelais), Larrieu (Carmus), Mommolat (Cahors), Larrieu (Cahors), Riquet (Cahors), De Gregorio (Rommans), Domenech (Brives); Reserves—P. Albaladejo (Dax), Moriceq (Agen), Edes (Bordeaux), Carreau (Toulon), Meyer (Perigueux) and Lacroix (Bordeaux).—AFP.

## Is 'fixed' football possible?

By Stanley Matthews

CAN a League football match be "fixed"? Everyone is asking the question following the storm which broke recently when bookmakers alleged that they had lost £200,000 in bets placed on the West Ham v. Newcastle and Brentford v. Grimsby results. Both visiting teams won against the odds.

The clubs and players concerned have denied the suggestion that bribes were offered or accepted to bring about the unexpected results. And the bookmakers have been advised by their own association to pay up.

But the general question of bribes in football is very much a soccer talking-point. How could you "fix" 11 men, or maybe 22? Secrecy would be the prime essential, and someone would be bound to give it away.

Even if, say a goalkeeper and a full-back could be bribed, that would leave nine other players in the dark—but that leaves their £4 win bonus, and likely to score more goals than were given away.

### NOTORIOUS CASE

But the game has not always been above reproach. There was that notorious case during the 1914-15 war when it was found that the Manchester United v. Liverpool game had been squared. United won 2-0.

An FA Commission spent nearly 12 months inquiring into the allegations. Eventually they reported that certain players, by betting on the correct result, put handsome sums into their pockets at the expense of the bookmakers.

There was another attempt when a team captain was approached to "fix" a match. He reported the matter to his club and the case failed.

Modern football may be big business and most players try to commercialise their skill, but I think it is one of the cleanest of all sports. I cannot see any player risking his career for a few pounds. The will to win is still inherent in every footballer.

(London Express Service).

## Son of another MCC player falls ill

London, Mar. 15.

Jim Parks, the Sussex and England batsman, who was called up from a coaching engagement in the West Indies to help the depleted MCC touring team in Georgetown last week, learned today that his three-year-old son, Andrew, is ill in hospital.

At her Haywards Heath, Sussex, home last night, Mrs Parks said there was no question of her husband being asked to return. "Our little boy is in hospital. But he is now on the mend."

She said the boy had been very ill with gastro-enteritis on Saturday and it was "in the balance" whether her husband should be recalled.

The doctors said he should be notified of his son's illness but suggested that she should wait a few hours. On Sunday the boy's condition began to improve and today she sent a message to her husband saying that he was "over the worst."

Parks is the second MCC batsman recently to be informed of his son's illness. Last week, Mrs Brian Statham, wife of the England and Yorkshire bowler, asked for her husband to return home owing to their son's slow recovery from a tonsils operation. The MCC today authorised Statham to come back but a final decision by the player is still awaited.—AFP.

## STATHAM TO RETURN TO ENGLAND

Georgetown, Mar. 14.

Brian Statham, the England and Lancashire cricketer, will fly home on Wednesday to see his son, Terence, who is ill in hospital in Manchester.

Statham heard from his wife by telephone today that their son had a difficult day on Sunday. He immediately asked Mr R. W. V. Robins, the MCC team manager, for permission to return home.

Meanwhile arrangements have been made for Statham to catch a plane on Wednesday and fly home by Thursday.—China Mail Special.

## England's Rugby League team

London, Mar. 15.

The Great Britain Rugby League team to meet France at St Helens, Lancashire on March 20 shows three changes from that beaten 20-18 by France earlier this month.

W. Boston takes over from I. Southward (Oldham) on the right-wing and D. Robinson and J. Whitley, who missed the first game because of injury, return in place of J. Drake (Hull) and N. Cherrington (Wigan).

The team is: E. Fraser (Warrington); W. Boston (Wigan); E. Ashton (Wigan); N. Fox (Wakefield Trinity); M. Sullivan (Wigan); D. Bolton (Wigan); J. Stephenson (York); Captain; J. Wilkinson (Wakefield Trinity); T. Harris (Hull); D. Robinson (Leeds); M. McTigue (Wigan); J. Whitley (Hull); D. Turner (Wakefield Trinity).

Reserves—J. Challinor (Warrington) and R. Huddart (St Helens).—Reuter.

## Macao hockey team to play here

Macao, Mar. 15.

The Macao Hockey Club will be visiting Hongkong for a series of games next week. On March 26 the club will play against the KCC hockey team at the KCC ground.

At Recreio on the next day, the Combined Services team from Singapore is expected to give the Macao visitors their toughest encounter this year. The local team leaves for Hongkong at noon on March 25.—AFP.

## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

### Notice to Members

Australian Subscription Ponies 1961

The Stewards have ordered a batch of 110 Australian Subscription Ponies to race in 1961 and they now invite Members to subscribe for them.

The cost per pony to Subscribers will be HK\$3,500; which sum includes Delivery to the date of acceptance by the Stewards.

Applications forms may be obtained from the Secretary's Office, Alexandra House, 8th Floor.

All subscriptions must be paid by cheque and application forms must be signed by all Subscribers in the presence of the Secretary at the Club Offices, Alexandra House.

The Subscription List will close at Noon on Wednesday, 23rd March, 1960.

By Order of the Stewards, A. E. ARNOLD, Secretary, Hong Kong, 9th Mar. 1960.

## Sports Diary

TO-DAY

10:30 a.m. Football: HKFA Council meeting, Sports Road 6 p.m.

11:00 a.m. Badminton: Colony Junior Championships at Taikeo 7:45 p.m.

TO-MORROW

10:00 a.m. Badminton: Colony Junior Badminton Championships at CCC, 7:45 p.m.

1:30 p.m. Rugby: Land Forces seven-a-side tournament at Boundary Street.

## THE GAMBOLS



## By Barry Appleby



## AIR-INDIA





## GETTING READY FOR THE OLYMPIAD

## The General describes his work as 'one vast minefield'

Rome, Mar. 13.

General Luigi Magliari-Galanta, Italian chief of protocol and ceremony for the Seventeenth Olympic Games opening here next August, describes his work as "one vast minefield."

The 62-year-old former tank General is organising the reception arrangements for more than 7,000 athletes and trainers, about 1,300 journalists and leading officials of more than 80 National Olympic Committees.

In addition, his office is responsible for both the opening and closing ceremonies of the Games, the 150 victory celebrations in 18 different media, the silver and bronze medals awarded to the victorious athletes, and, of course, the invitations to Olympic Committees in every country in the world.

## One refusal

"We sent out 98 invitations on April 21 of last year, and so far we have had 95 acceptances, 12 have either accepted or refused and just one has refused outright," General Magliari-Galanta said.

It was the Latin-American country of El Salvador who sent the refusal. Albania, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, British Guiana, Haiti, Honduras, Malaya, Nicaragua, Paraguay, San Marino, the Sudan and Vietnam have reserved their decisions.

"I have worked out the opening ceremony of the Games on August 21 down to the very second, and although the protocol is very strict, we have decided on a slight alteration," the General explained.

"I was sent to the Melbourne Olympic Games in 1956 as an observer, and feel that the improvements can be introduced as a result of our experiences there."

For instance, at Melbourne, the Duke of Edinburgh arrived at the sports stadium for the opening ceremony and, before taking his seat in the special tribune reserved for honoured guests, was formally introduced to all the chiefs of missions.

## A change

"I noticed that the public waited impatiently for nearly half an hour during this period, and for this reason our schedule has been changed."

"President Gronchi of Italy, who will open the Games as head of state, will already have met the diplomats at a short ceremony the previous evening and formal introductions in the grand stand can thus be dispensed with."

General Magliari-Galanta, looking bronzed and athletic in his well-cut sports jacket, opened a file with details of the opening ceremony.

"The Mayor of Melbourne will bring the Olympic flag from his city and will give a short address, and President Gronchi will open the Games according to a time-honoured formula. "An athlete carrying the Olympic torch will answer the

## World title chess match

Moscow, Mar. 15. Mikhail Tal, youthful challenger for the world chess title, will get the first move when he faces champion Mikhail Botvinnik in their first game of 24 here on Tuesday evening.

It was announced at a reception in the Central Chess Club that Tal will play the white pieces in what has been called a "Name versus Ice" contest.

Tal, 23, provides the flame in daring combination play. Botvinnik, 46, is an icy thinker. N. N. Romanov, chairman of the Central Sports Committee, presided at the reception in the reception hall of the Chess Club and introduced ex-world champion Max Euwe of the Netherlands and Swedish grandmaster Gideon Stahlberg, who is chief referee aided by Harry Golombek, Britain.—A.P.

## Soccer result

Glasgow, Mar. 14. Kilmarnock scored a 4-3 away win over Third Lanark in a Scottish first division soccer match played here tonight. The fixture had been postponed from March 12.—Reuters.

President on behalf of all those participating in the 17th Olympiad."

But the name of the athlete, who will be an Italian, will be kept secret right up to the last moment.

"Even the man's mother will only know when she sees her son at the ceremony," the General laughingly added.

Bringing the Olympic flame from Mount Olympia in Greece to Rome is also the General's responsibility. He has arranged for a relay of 1,500 runners to bring the flame from Syracuse, in Sicily, right up the Italian peninsula to the main sports stadium here. The Greek Olympic Committee is arranging for the torch to be carried by land and sea to Syracuse.

## 8 foreign 'heads'

"We are expecting that eight foreign heads of state will be present at the opening ceremony, including Queen Elizabeth," the General said as he explained the seating arrangements.

"There will be chiefs of missions or ambassadors, and the presidents and secretaries-general of the National Olympic Committees in five special grand stands reserved for guests of honour. Each married person will be accompanied by his wife."

"I have not considered the claims of political or military leaders, nor even of government ministers, but I think you will readily understand how difficult all this work can be."

"I have daily telephone calls from people who think that they should be invited to the opening ceremony. We have to examine closely all these applications in case we have made a mistake."

"Sometimes I think, and feel, that I am walking in and around a vast minefield with all this complex protocol."

## New design

Simultaneously with the Games, there will be 20 Congresses attended by 3,000 members of the National Olympic Committees. The General will have to organise these as well.

The protocol office has already had 268 gold, 268 silver and 276 bronze medals for individual presentation to winners of events.

"But here we have made another change in ceremony, or rather design," General Magliari-Galanta said. "Previously, winners were handed their medals in small boxes, and the public were never really able to appreciate the award ceremony."

"Consequently, we have had made a bronze collar, with olive-leaf design, to be attached to each medal when it is awarded. The public will then be able to see the athlete actually wearing their decorations, as in ancient times."

The General is in charge of a reception corps of beautiful, multi-lingual hostesses who will be posted in special bureaux at airports, hotels, the various stadiums, and the "villages" housing the athletes.

## Nominate YOUR HONGKONG FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR

Members of the public are invited to nominate Hongkong's Footballer of the Year for the current season.

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Mail, and nomination coupons will be accepted until the closing date to be announced later.

The two qualifications for nomination are:

- (1) Footballing prowess.
- (2) Sportsmanship on the field of play.

Nominations should be addressed to the Editor, China Mail, Wyndham Street.

To the Editor, China Mail.

My nomination for Hongkong's Footballer of the Year, taking into account his playing ability and his sportsmanship on the field of play, is:

of the ..... Club.

(Signed) .....

(NOTE: No person is allowed to vote more than once in this poll.)

"I have managed to recruit 300 girls, but still need 100 more," the General said. "Many of them speak four or five languages fluently, and in all we have 32 different languages, including Finnish, Korean, Japanese, Arabic and Chinese."

## Pigeons too

The General has an efficient index system grouping each hostess so that he can instantly contact them. Each girl's particulars are entered in a little passport-type booklet, with photograph, address and the languages which she speaks.

"Even now I am arranging trips for officials or journalists who want to view the Olympic sites, and these girls are in

constant use as interpreters," the General added.

The protocol office also has two shadows who rarely leave their posts as observers. Two Japanese officials are attached to the General as observers to gain experience for the 1964 Olympics to be held in Tokyo.

I am even looking after the fortunes of 5,000 pigeons at a farm at Bologna, in Northern Italy," the General told me in conclusion. "We have no pigeons here in Rome, and we shall be needing them for the symbolic act of opening the Games."

And, frowning as he looked out of the window, he added thoughtfully: "I wonder what the weather is like in Bologna. Perhaps just a call to enquire about my birds..."—China Mail Special.

## on the ball

with Tom Finney



## British soccer in the dock—but is the charge fair?

Soccer—No. 1 sport of Britain—stands indicted. The charge: that it "has the worst standard of sportsmanship in British sport—in an age when the spirit of fair play is on the decline." The Wolfenden Committee on Sport have been told this by the Association of Municipal Corporations, who have questioned more than 80 local education authorities on sport in general.

But I submit, for the defence, that the charge is grossly exaggerated, that it is based on the bad sportsmanship of a small minority of players who have brought the whole game into disrepute.

## Time-wasting policy

Who are the guilty men of British soccer? I point chiefly to the time-wasters, the players who in the final stages of a game will use almost any device to waste those vital seconds—provided, of course, that it is in the interests of their team.

Naturally, players are not going to rush to get the ball back in play after stoppages if they are a goal up in the dying minutes of a key match. It would be most unnatural if they did.

I am talking about the players who follow a calculated time-squandering policy—kick the ball away when a throw-in or free-kick is to be taken, or trying to pinch extra yards when they are about to throw-in, only to be moved back by the referee.

## Managers must act

They call it gamesmanship, as though it's a comfortable, almost respectable, term, inferring they are really just a bit smarter than the other fellow.

Why don't we use plain language and call it CHEATING. How can we stop this "cheating"? Referees should make greater use of their powers and not only add on time to compensate for these practices,

but also take firm action against the offenders. But prevention would be far better than this shock cure, and I would like to see managers making it clear to players that they will not tolerate any time-wasting trickery.

Unfortunately, I must report that in some cases managers not only accept this "cheating" as part of the game, but actually encourage it.

Don't they realise that it is these time-wasting "professors" and the comparatively few incidents in which they are involved, that leave the biggest impression—especially with people like investigating committees?

## Back-slapping OK

It is the same with the more serious fouls. They automatically catch the eye and so the whole game gets a bad name.

Yet football, generally, is not a dirty game. Most of the fouls come about through an over-robust, rather than malicious, spirit. And with 92 English League and 30 Scottish League clubs playing every Saturday and fighting for important League points, it is inevitable that many hard knocks will be taken.

On one subject I disagree wholeheartedly with the critics, that one concerning the way a player is congratulated after scoring a goal.

People look aghast when a scorer is surrounded by back-slapping and hugging colleagues. Some declare that the practice is responsible for all that is decadent in the British way of life.

What rubbish! One minute professional footballers are held to be paid gladiators whose main interest is their wage packet; the next minute they are condemned for showing too much feeling about the game itself. Usually it is the same people who express both views.

## Double trouble

Cynics will immediately say that players see the goal merely as a stop towards a winning bonus. But then surely footballers would let out the biggest whoop of joy when the final whistle ensures their victory bonus? Instead the game ends quietly with players shaking hands with their opponents.

The real point is that a goal is an electrifying moment for the man who puts the ball into the net. It's like the sudden exhilaration of winning a race—and your teammates share it.

## OFF THE CUFF

Everton right-winger Jimmy Harris is likely to return to the centre-forward spot if Nottingham Forest's bid for him is successful.

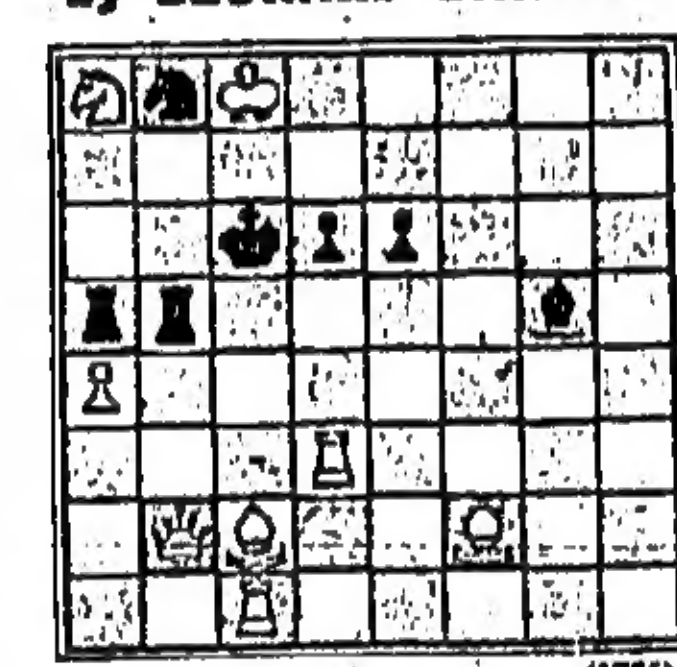
Derby County are now favourites to sign Sheffield Wednesday wing-half, Don Gibson, who turned down a chance to go to Leyton Orient.

Armenian have an eye on three Scottish players—right-half Sandy Brown, of Partick Thistle, and two Kilmarnock star wingers Billy Muir and Vernon Wentzell.

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## CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a problem by C. Mansfield (Tidmarsh, 1950) specially selected by the composer. White to play and mate in two moves.

Solution: No. 5784: 1... R×QRP; 2 Q×R, B-B5 ch; 3 R-K2 (3 R-K1, P-B7 ch), P×B ch; 4 K×R, P-R3 (Q) and wins. The game ended 5 Q-R3 ch, K-R12; 6 Q-Q17 ch, K-K13; 7 Q×P7, Q-B8 mate. London Express Service.

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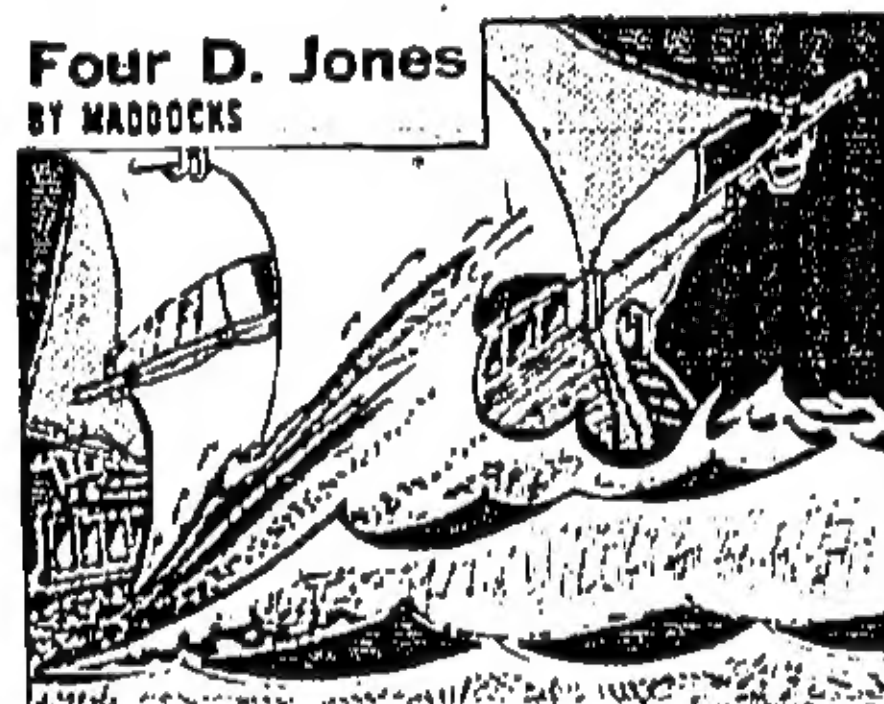
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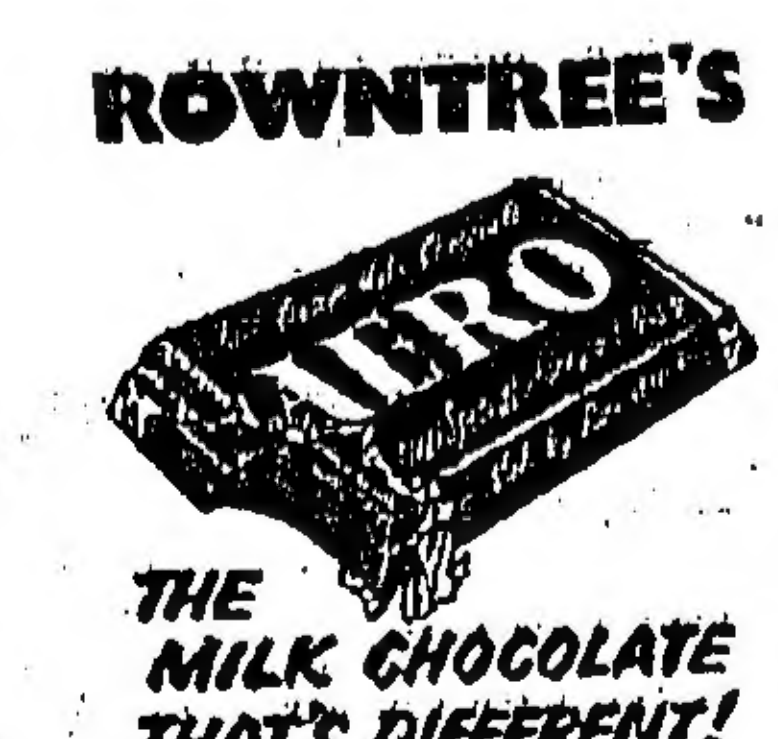
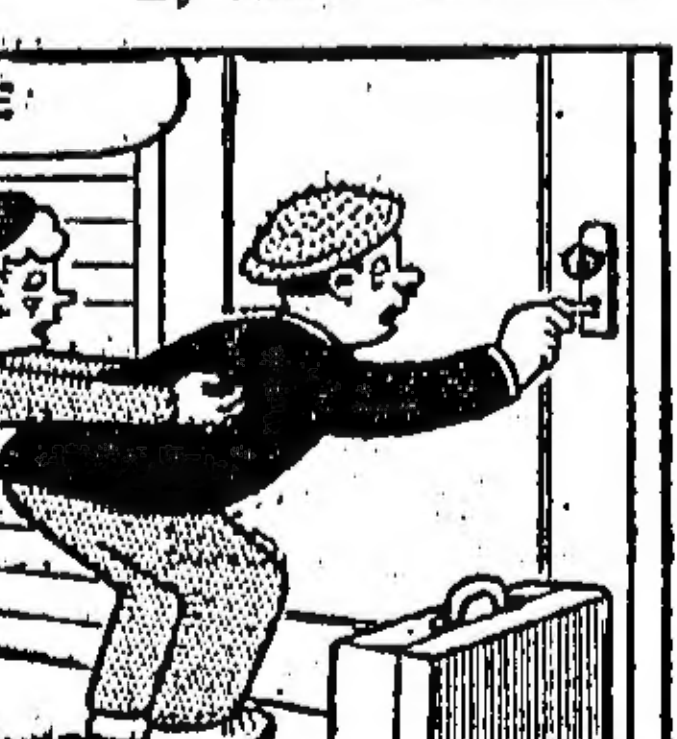
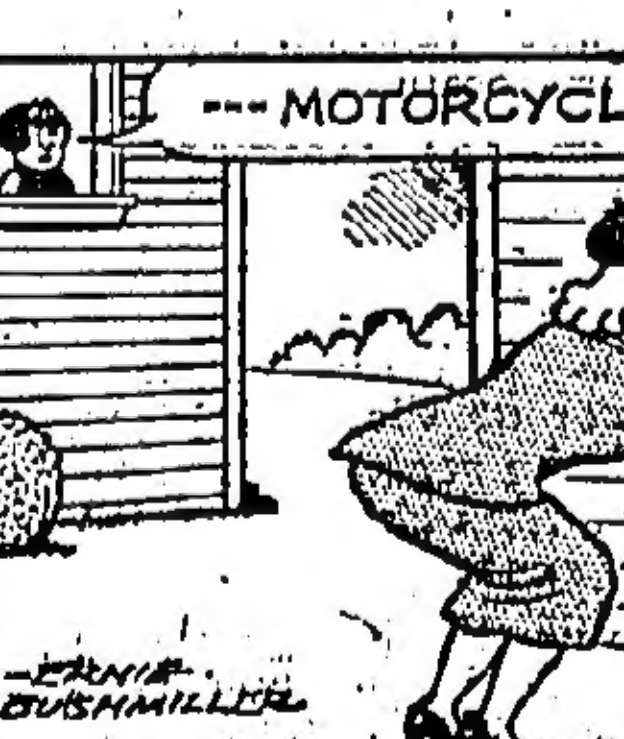
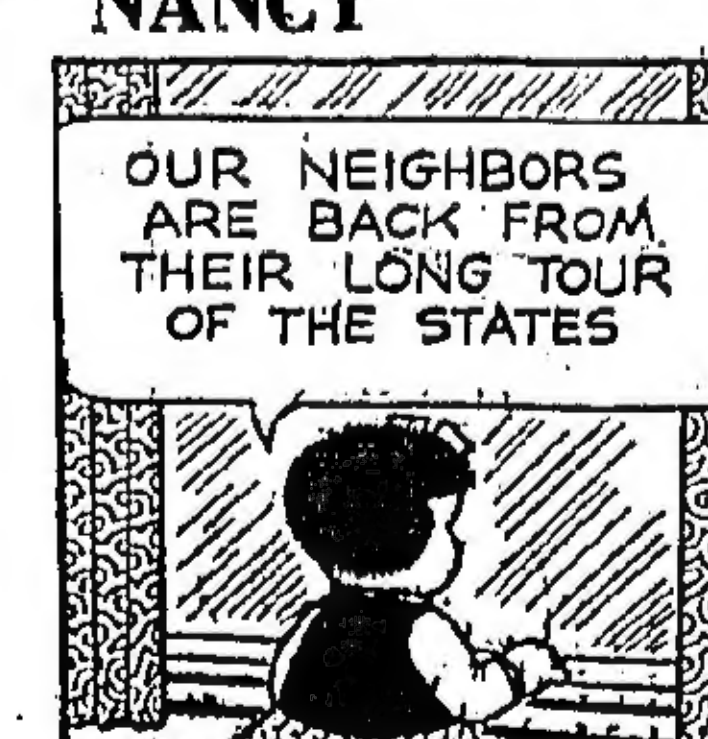
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## PICTORIAL PARADE



LEFT: Group picture of those who were presented medals during the annual review of the Royal Hongkong Defence Force at Hongkong Stadium on Sunday.

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BELOW: Mr Chan Shu-woon receiving a bouquet during a party held by the Ching Sun School recently. Mr Chan addressed over 400 pupils of the school during the evening.



ABOVE: Seen at the Civil Aid Service's farewell party for Mr W. L. E. Miller at the Cafe de Chine last week (l-r): Mr Miller, Mr C. E. Torry and Mr T. J. Lindsay.

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RIGHT: Seen during the University of Hongkong Students' Union ball at Lake Yew Hall recently are (l-r): Mrs L. T. Ride, Mr Au Ying-fan, Dr L. T. Ride, Miss Jane Lai and Mr C. C. Li.



## U.S. aid programme For Asian chemists

New York, Mar. 14.  
The American Chemical Society announced today a new aid programme to promote scholarly and personal ties between Asian and American chemists.

Chemists of Ceylon, India, Japan, Hongkong, Indonesia, Laos, Cambodia, the Philippines and Thailand will be eligible to take part in the programme.

The Asia Foundation in San Francisco has put US\$2,500 to finance the project. It will furnish information concerning Asian chemists. The American Chemical Society will administer the programme and make specific grants.

### RELATED FIELDS

It will enable distinguished or promising Asian chemists or scientists in related fields, temporarily in the United States, to attend national or regional meetings of the Society.

It will finance memberships in the Society for up to three years for Asians and will give them financial aid in certain under-achievements approved by the Society.—UPI.

## Macao summer time

Macao Mar. 15.  
Summer time in Macao will come into effect as from 3.30 a.m. next Sunday. Clocks will then be put one hour ahead. Summer time will come into effect in Hongkong at the same time.—AFP.

## CEMENT CO. DIVIDEND

A dividend of \$3 and a bonus of \$1 a share was declared at the annual meeting of the Green Island Cement Co Ltd, this morning.

A bonus to staff was also recommended by the directors.

Profit for the year to December 31, 1959, was \$4,627,437.

Mr D. Benson, the Chairman said that sales had not been quite as good as in the previous year, which was a record.

Business had improved since January, however, and was still brisk. The report and accounts were adopted.

Mr D. Benson, Mr Li Fook Wo and Mr Kwok Lam Po were re-elected directors.

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## U.S. Consul in Macao

Macao, Mar. 15.  
Mr Harold W. Jackson has been provisionally recognised Consul for the United States in Macao, residing in Hongkong.—AFP.

## Man jailed for robbery with violence

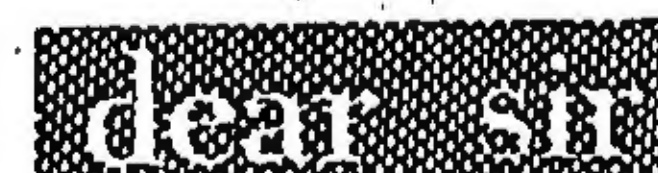
"It is very difficult to sympathise with you," said Judge W. F. Pickering in the Victoria District Court this morning when he sentenced Hon Lin-cheung, 28, to three-and-a-half years on two counts of robbery with violence.

"These are cowardly attacks on women," Judge Pickering said. "One of them resulted in the victim detained in hospital for several days."

Judge Pickering also highly commended a police constable, Shuen Kam-hoi, for his part in arresting the accused when he was off duty.

"It may well be that if it were not for your action, this man would continue to commit more robberies."

The accused burst into tears when he asked for leniency. "I have to support a family of four—my grandmother, my mother, my wife and a daughter," he pleaded. He said he had been ill for some time and had owed his friend a large sum of money. He attacked and robbed a woman, Poon To-chai, while the latter was returning home in a motor car on the morning of February 2. PC Shuen heard Poon's cries and rushed up the staircase just in time to arrest the accused as he was running downstairs.



"Jacoby on Bridge" in your March 14 issue has slipped up badly in the concluding paragraph.

Ext's two Aces and Queen of trumps make three sure tricks, no more no less, whether he decides or not to ruff the fourth round of Diamonds.

The technicality of avoiding the ruff and waiting for a play of Spades from South might prove superior in other situations, but in the example given it is about as efficient as the infrequent treatment of a wooden leg.

E.M.

The Officers Mess, RAF Kai Tak, will hold their Annual Ball on Friday.

## \$200,000 gold haul

A crew member of a motor junk, Chan Kau, 36, of 379 Shanghai Street, third floor, was sentenced, to two months' imprisonment by Mr Derek Cons at Central Court this morning for importing 917 tael of gold worth \$200,000 without a licence.

Chan Po, 48, coxswain, of 173 Main Street, Shaukiwan, first floor, who pleaded not guilty, was discharged when the Prosecution accepted his plea. He said that he knew nothing about the importation of gold, adding that he only worked on the junk.

### SECRET HOLD

Revenue Insp. K. K. Leung said at 11.40 a.m. on Sunday, acting on information, a Revenue party boarded the motor junk Cheung Hing off Quarantine Anchorage. The Revenue officers discovered a secret compartment containing the gold bars.

Insp. Leung said Chan claimed he was the owner of the gold. Chan said, in mitigation, he was carrying the gold for some one for \$100.

## Car executive on visit to Europe



Mr William Shea and his son, Dennis.

Mr Dennis Shea, 23-year-old General Manager of Regent Motors, Hongkong, left this morning by Swissair for Geneva, to attend the International Motor Show and Trade Fair.

Five days later, Mr Shea will leave for Turin, Italy, to study production methods at the Fiat factory. "I am making this trip on behalf of our company, to learn as much as I can during the six-months I shall be away."

Mr Shea's survey of the Fiat production is being sponsored by that organisation. Dennis Shea was seen off by his father, Mr William Shea. — Intipar Photo.

## Inquests into death of drug addicts

Verdicts of natural death were passed at Central today by a three-man jury investigating the deaths of two men serving prison sentences.

They also returned a suicide verdict on a woman who jumped from the third floor of Queen Mary Hospital on January 19.

### OPIUM TAKER FOR 34 YEARS

Mr G. L. Night, chief officer at Stanley Prison, said the first deceased, Kwan Young, 74, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment for possession of dangerous drugs.

Dr George Shing, a medical officer at the prison hospital, said the deceased had been admitted to the hospital when he arrived on February 8. An opium addict for 34 years, he was very weak and had bronchial pneumonia.

On February 11 he was taken to Queen Mary Hospital after he had complained of acute abdominal pain. He died that day and a post mortem revealed that death had been caused by a duodenal ulcer.

The jury returned a verdict of natural death.

### TB IN BOTH LUNGS

Mr F. Ainsworth, chief officer at Victoria Prison, said the second deceased, Ngai Mok-shiu, aged 27, was sentenced to six months' imprisonment for possession of dangerous drugs, at Tai Po Magistrates Court on February 27.

On arrival at the prison, the deceased was admitted to the hospital, Dr J. R. Leo Poon, a prison medical officer said. He was suffering from local pneumonia and was a heroin addict.

Dr A. P. Tong, medical officer at Queen Mary Hospital, said the deceased was admitted to the hospital on March 2 in an unconscious state. There was evidence of pneumonia and a state of shock, he said. Deceased showed little response to treatment, and died later that day.

A post mortem revealed that the deceased had tuberculosis in both lungs, and pneumonia.

### CANCER PATIENT IN SUICIDE LEAP

Giving evidence of the death of a woman, Mrs Leung Woon-yeo, 38, who jumped from a third floor ward of Queen Mary Hospital on January 19, Dr C. M. Young, medical officer in the radiological department, said he had been treating the deceased for cancer of the sinus since July 1959.

She had been treated with deep ray treatment and radioactive seeds had been injected into the sinus, he said. Other witnesses said they had treated the woman's injuries after she had been found unconscious in the courtyard of the hospital.

Mr Lai Fat, the deceased's husband, said he was called to the hospital on the afternoon of January 19, and had asked his wife why she had tried to commit suicide.

He said she replied that the pain was unbearable, and she knew her illness was incurable. She died shortly afterwards from head injuries and internal haemorrhage.

The jury returned a verdict of suicide, and were dismissed by the presiding magistrate, Mr T. L. Yang.

## Pools envelopes: work begins

Twenty young men and women, recently taken on the staff of Asian Pools, began work manually assembling envelopes today.

Asian Pools are sending out one and a half million envelopes on the first week of their six-week long educational campaign which begins at the start of June.

The first pools coupons will be issued a month later.

## OVERSTAYED IN COLONY 2 YEARS

A husband and wife were fined \$2,000 each by Mr Derek Cons at Central Court this morning for overstaying in the Colony.

Wong Chung-ping and his wife, Lee Han, both of 247 Des Voeux Road West, ground floor, pleaded guilty.

Sub-Insp. K. P. Clark said the husband arrived here from Singapore on October 28, 1957, and his wife on January 9 the following year. They were permitted to stay here for six and three months respectively and failed to leave at the limited period. They were arrested yesterday.

Insp. Clark asked Mr Cons to take a serious view of the case on the ground that they had overstayed for two years.

Wong explained he was born in Singapore and he thought that as Hongkong was a British Colony, he saw no reason why he could not stay here. He added that was why he committed the offence.

Two men were seriously injured in a scissor attack in Wanchai Road at 9.15 last night.

Kong Kam, 71, who received multiple stab wounds and Chan Shiu-shuen, 40, who sustained injuries in the back, are still in hospital this morning.

## This funny world



"I'm not one for writing scabby letters. Allice—the telephone is much faster."

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